E. Schlichting

Ernest Schlichting, 81, former Stratford area resident, died Tuesday, Nov. 8, at Ramsey County Hospital in St. Paul, Minn. Services were held at 2 p.m., Friday, Nov. 11, in Aberdeen at the Gates-Vik Funeral Home with the Rev. Raymond L. Pomplun officiating. Burial was in the East Rondell Cemetery, Stratford.

Ernest Schlichting was born in 1896 near Stratford where he grew to manhood. In 1925 he moved to Baltimore, Md., where he worked as a painter. He retired in 1962 and moved to St. Paul. He never married.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Ella Oxford of St. Paul and Mrs. Boyd (Alice) Obermeyer, Sioux Falls.